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# **BUCHAREST IN HANDS** OF CENTRAL POWERS

**Feutonic Allies in Control of About 50,000 Square** Miles of Territory in Rumania

# **FAKE RAILWAY JUNCTION NORTH OF BUCHAREST**

Whether the Rumanians and Russians Succeeded Entirely in Making Their Escape Behind the Capital City Has Not Been Divulged-Germanic Forces Are Now in Control of Four Capitals of Entente Allied States-Russian Offensive in the Carpathian Region is Meeting With But Little Success-Germans Were Partially Successful in Intense Attack Made in the Verdun Sector.

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Men Who Are Extensively Interested

American Zinc, Lead and Smelting Company; Samuel F. Pryor, vice

tallic Company and W. E. S. Griswold. Mr. Pryor has been elected chair-man of the committee. The bankers

are extensively interested in the com-pany through loans.

Marcellus Hartley Dodge, who owns

the presidency and has been succeed-

Fact Disclosed at Conference of Mar

displayed at today's session of the Na-tional Conference and of Marketing and Farm Credits were used as the

respond to some extent, packers are

Many speakers insisted that the whole industry, as proposed in the Borland bill, should be investigated,

not as an attack on the packing in-dustry, but to discover for the cattle-men where lies the waste which some

economists assert accounts for the ab-

Because of Protests From Patrons

Motion Picture Theatres.

New York, Dec. 6.—Motion pictures depicting commerciolized "white slav-ery" or those advertised to impress the

public that the films are lurid "white slave" pictures will not e passed here-after by the national board of review,

ccording to an anouncement tonight.
This action has been taken, it was explained, because of numerous pro-

ests on the subject from patrons of notion picture theatres. The board's

uling, it was stated, will not apply to

CONFESSED COUNTERFEITER

R. Wilken, Who Inserted Silk Thread

In Spurious Paper Currency.

San Francisco, Dec. 6 .- P. R. Wil ken, a confessed counterfeiter and one of few who successfully inserted silk

threads in spurious paper currency, was sentenced today in the United States district court here to fifteen years imprisonment in the federal

penitentiary at McNeil's Island, Wash. United States secret service operatives estimated that in four or five years Wilken had counterfeited and passed

"strictly propaganda pictures probviously for social betterment."

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REMINGTON ARMS CO

president of the

Bucharest, the capital of Rumania, is sen, or whether the Rumanians and in the hands of the forces of the cen-

Exactly one hundred days after the declaration of war by Rumania against them finds the Teutonic allies hazardous position in the region due in control of about 50,000 square miles west of Bucharest and in Ganger of of Rumanian territory—virtually one-half of the kingdom—running from the Transylvanian Alps northwest of the capital to the Danube south of it, and four capitals of entente allied states, Rumanian territory-virtually onea large part of Dobrudja, and probably the others being Brussels, Belgrade and Still, on the heels of the retreating Cettinje.

Russian and Fumanian armies which been endeavoring to hold them

Simultaneously with the announce-ment of the fall of Bucharest came the news of the capture of the important railroad junction of Ploechti, north of the capital, the conquest of which places in the hands of the invaders the last railroad in the west and gives to them a head of the line running north-ward to Jassy, where the capital of

Rumania is now situated.

No details have as yet come through by the defenders from further advance, regarding the climax to the great drive North of the Oituz pass and southeast of the armies of General von Falkenhayn and Field Marsbal von Macken

TANK STEAMER AGROUND IN BRIDGEPORT HARBOR

#### Put In There to Seek Shelter From the Westerly Gale.

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 6.—The tank steamer Radium, owned by the Gulf Refining Company, Hoboken for Milford, Conn., put into the lower harbor here today for shelter from the westerly gale. The receding tide left her hard and fast aground, where she had anchored outside of the channel. It was expecter that she would be floated at high tide tonight.

Several tugs with tows put in to es-

ape the gale and high sea running in Guaranty he Sound. One of them was the John Kimball, stt. which had to be assisted from ald Reef with five barges after gotten into trouble near the president of the Remington-Union Meere the same tug lost earges about a week ago.

RETURNS OF SCHOOL

#### **ENUMERATION OF STATE** all but a few shares of the company's Bridgeport Shows Greatest Gain, With \$50,000,000 capital has retired from 4,000 Increase.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 6 .- Return of the school enumeration in Bridgeport shows \$3,357 children of school age PACKERS MAKING GREATER there, an increase of nearly 4,000 over a year ago. This is far and away the greatest gain of any city in the state Hartford has 26,178, a gain of about thousand and New Haven 34,491, about 1,300 more than last year. Nor-walk shows a loss of 24 and Stamford an increase of nearly 500. Branford also shows a slight loss and the same is true of Thompson, Watertown gains a few over 200. Litchfield has ten fewer than in 1915.

About seventy-five per cent. of the base by some delegates for the declatowns have filed their reports with ration that although the charts cor-

# EASTHAMPTON ALMSHOUSE

IS SCARCELY HABITABLE Two Members of State Board of Charities So Report.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 6—That the almshouse in Easthampton was in a very bad condition was reported by Dr. E. A. Down of this city and Miss Walsh of Middletown to the state NATIONAL BOARD TO BAN oard of charities of which they are members, at its monthly meeting in the capitol today. They said they visietd the place recently and found it scarce-ly habitable. They called on the se-lectmen and urged that the house be put in fit condition, or a new house huse built. The selectmen agreed to give the matter immediate considera-

#### PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION RE-ELECTS DR. S. J. MAHER

Committee Appointed to Consider Com pulsory Health Insurance.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 6. — Dr. Stephen J. Maher of this city was reelected president of the Connecticut Public Health aesociation at its annual meeting her today. Dr. Charles J. Bartlett of New Haven was chosen vice president, and J. A. Maher, health officer for Fairfield county, treasurer A committee of five was appointed to consider compulsory health insurance and report at the next meeting.

# OBITUARY

William Simpson. New York, Dec. 6.—William Simp-ion, head of the pawn brokers estabishments here which bear his name and descendant of a long line of pawn ers who in this country have been n business since 1822, died here today, ged 79. Mr. Simpson also was a about \$50,000. Wilken was formerly a commercial an official announcement which adds artist in New York city. He was arrested in Santa Cruz, Cal., several weeks ago.

## Cabled Paragraphs

Greek Steamer Torpedoed. London, Dec. 6, 4.17 p. m.—Lloyds reports that the Greek steamer Fofo 615 tons, has been torpedoed, rew was saved.

Steamer Posted as Missing. London, Dec. 6.—The British steamer Elswick Park which left Philadelphia on Sept. 8 with bituminous coal for Santos, has been posted at Lloyds as missing.

### SECRETARY OF TREASURY M'ADOO'S ANNUAL REPORT

Disbursements for the Year Were \$766,665,640,47.

Washington, Dec. 6. -Secretary Mc-Adoc's annual report of the govern-ment's finances, presented to congress today, estimates that the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, will show a bal-ance of \$115,000,000 in the general fund but that the figures a year later—June 30, 1918, will show a deficit in the gen eral fund of \$185,000,000. Preliminary estimates place the cost of conducting he government for the coming fiscal 1918, exclusive of the postal ser-which is expected to be self-sustaining, and other deductions, at \$1,-278,021,000. The ordinary receipts for the fiscat year 1918 he estimates at \$995,550,000, which is \$282,471,000 less than the estimated expense. Estimates of large expenditures for national deense carry the estimated outlay bond the estimated income.

The report shows total disbursement

for the year to be \$766,665,840.47. Of with others yet to come, will this sum \$449,588,794.46 went for war the basis for recommendations The expenditures for war purpo during the year were as follows: War department proper \$2,217,975.56 Navy department proper filitary academy ..... 1, )31,819,19

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Previous to the announcement of the ortifications .... capture of Bucharest and of Ploechti official advices had indicated that four divisions of the defenders were in a Military posts ..... Arsenals diers' homes ........ Soldiers' deposit fund... National cemeteries, war

or naval establishment. including construction In the northwest in the Carpathian of new chinery, region near the Bukowina frontier and along the Moldavia front, the Russian armament. equipment. improvenent at navy yards,

offensive, begun as a diversion against the Teutonic advance into Rumania, apparently is meeting with little success In the Carpathians west of Jablonitza the Russians occupied a height but later were shelled off the position by the Garmans. To the south Total ..... \$449,588,794.46 position by the Germans. To the south they succeeded in penetrating to the second line of the German defenses in BRYAN DINED BY SOME

ADMIRERS IN WASHINGTON alks of Reforms to Which He Hopes

to Commit the Democratic Party. Washington, Dec. 6.-Reforms which he hopes to commit the demo-ratic party and which he deems pos-

of accomplishment within next four years, were outlined to-night by William J. Bryan at a din-ner given in his bonor by admirers among democratic officials and mem-bers of congress. Nation-wide prohibition he urged as most important and other causes on his list included wo-man suffrage by federal amendment, lection of the president by a direct opular vote and changes to make the institution more easily amendable. In addition to his programme to dvocated, Mr. Bryan gave a prominent place to two things he proposes to fight—the effort to give the federal government exclusive control road regulation and of militarism, presented by proposals for universal military service.

Speeches lauding Mr. Bryan articularly his work for the party luring the campaign just won made by many of the diners and a letter was read from President Wilon, with whom the former secretary and Mrs. Bryan had lunched The president wrote: "Will you not be kind enough to ey my very cordial greetings to Bryan and to those who are assembled to do him honor at the din-ner on Wednesday evening? In the ecent campaign no one rendered more inselfish service than Mr. Bryan and am happy to know that this dinner expresses the genuine admiration of all democrats for him. May I not by this means convey to him my warm-est congratulations and best wishes

for his continued health and happi-Chicago, Dec. 6.—Exhaustive charts showing the comparative trend of prices of livestock and dressed meats In reviewing at length the accom-plishments of the democratic adminis-tration, Mr. Bryan said the work had been done in one short term 'under the leadership of a great democratic pres-ident, lovally supported by a congress equally democratic."

#### CARRANZA'S REPLY ON WAY TO WASHINGTON Indications Are That He Has Ratified

the Protocol. Washington, Dec. 6.—Unofficial in-formation today that Albert J. Pani who carried to General Carranza the border protection protocol agreed to at Atlantic City, was on his way back to the United States from Mexico, was construed at the state department as an indication that the First Chief had ratified the document. The icles comratified the document. The joint com-mission that drafted the protocol ad-journed November 23 to reassemble December 8 if Carranza's action was

It is believed here that Mr. Fanicross the border at Laredo perhaps tomorrow and make a telegraphic report from there. If he reports the ratification of the protocol, the commission will convene here Friday and adjourn until he can reach Washing-

Under instructions from the members of the commission, the attaches of both groups have spent much of the time since the adjournment at Atlantic City in drafting tentative promises for further discussion. Luis grammes for further discussion. Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican commission, in an interview credited to him recently in a Mexico City newspaper, referred to the subjects to be discussed after the ratification of the protocol as of "minor importance" the protocol as of "minor importance," but the programme drafted by the American commissioners includes a list of subjects regarded by them as

#### of great importance. EXPLOSION IN MUNITIONS

FACTORY IN LONDON Twenty-six Women Killed and About

Thirty Injured. London, Dec. 6, 7.45 p. m.—Twenty ix women were killed and about thir. ty injured by an explosion in a muni

# in Earnest

MOST COMPREHENSIVE EVER UNDERTAKEN

Recent Pinch in Coal Supply to Re-

Washington, Dec. 6 .- The federal in vestigation of the high cost of living began today to take definite form with ndications that it ownid be one of the nost comprehensive ever undertaken and would extend to every section of the United States. Not only is a sweeping inquiry into the causes of the soaring cost of foodstuffs contem-plated, but the recent pinch in the coal supply and its resultant price ad-vances also probably will be made the subject of broad investigation. From President Wilson down, officials began to cope in earnest with the problems presented by the situa-tion. The president took under consideration preliminary reports, which, with others yet to come, will form

may make to congress. Dozen Speeches in House. A dozen speeches on the subject were made in the house and several resolutions proposing inquiries were introduced. These were referred to committees without discussion, most of them going to the interstate and foreign commerce committee, of which Representative Adamson, who is op-posed to embargoes, is the chairman. Department of justice officials held today conferences with members of the federal trade commission and District Attorney Anderson of Boston, in charge of the department's investiga-tion, who is here to formulate a de-finite plan of conducting the nation-

Fifty Picked Investigators. About fifty picked investigators of the department's bureau of investiga-tion were reported to be at work throughout the country gathering data which will determine the attorneygeneral's course of action. The interstate commerce

sion probably will be called upon to aid by furnishing data relative to the shipments of foodstuffs and Mr. An derson will confer with commission officials before his departure, Grand jury investigation at New York or Chicago or both, of the reasons for rising prices are said to be still un-

Forming Program. With the programme still in pro-ess of formation, there were increas-ing indications that officials were onsidering the situation from three angles, namely:
1—Determination of the actual causes of the rapid rise in foodstuffs and coal, whether it was due to nat-

ural economic laws, to the unwarrant-ed action of individual leaders and producers in advancing prices, or whether there exists agreements whether there exists agreements among groups of dealers or producers to boost prices. 2—Vigorous prosecution of persons or firms, if any, who, by violation of

tributed to the upward trend of edy the present situation and to pre vent its recurrence.

Effort to Corner Coal Market. Complaints have reached the depart ment that coal products were ad-vanced recently because, in large output for the winter. It was charged that these dealers, scenting fat profits, had tried to corner the available supply and thus forced up prices.
These and other complaints under investigation will be considered with a view to prosecution, if warranted under federal laws, which require that een in or for interstate commerce.

### POINT AGAINST MINORITY Allowed to Attack Validity Road's Short Term Notes.

Boston, Dec. 6 .- Minority stockhold ers of the Boston and Main raolriad Labor; Franklin H. Martin, of Chica-today lost a point in their effort to go; Howard B. Coffin, of Detroit; today lost a point in their effort to go; Howard B. Collin, of Detroit; prevent the present temporary receivership of the road from being made permanent when Judge Morton ruled in the federal district court that they would not be allowed to attack the would not be allowed to attack the term not the object sought by congress validity of the road's \$13,300,000 short in creating the organization, the whole term notes in the present the term notes in the present proceedings The Inter-Continuetal Rubber company, appears as the petitioner in the teceivership action, claims to be a creditor of the road to the extent of INVESTIGATING DEATH OF \$51,000 on notes that were part of the \$13,300,000 issue.
Counsel for the minority interests

ad previously told the court that their case was concerned largely with the question of the validity of the short term notes, which they contended were issued during the period that the Boston and Maine railroad was under the illegal control of the New York, New Haven and Hartford rail-They asserted that the notes therefore invalid. Exceptions were taken by the minority to

#### SUBMARINE FIRED FIFTY SHELLS ON FUNCHAL Population Fled From the Capital of

the Island of Madeira. Paris, Dec. 6. 7.35 p. m.-A despatch Paris, Dec. 5, 7,35 p. m.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Lisbon dated Monday says a submarine fired fifty shells on Funchal, capital of the Island of Madeira. The population fled and returned only when the submarine departed under an intense fire from the fortress.

The despatch adds that the fire from the submarine struck a ship killing.

the submarine struck a ship, killing six Portuguese sailors. Official Vote of Tennessee Nashville, Tenn.; Dec. 6.—Official canvass of the presidential vote in Tennessee gives Wilson 153,344; Hughes 116,114; Benson 2,542; and Hanly 147. Governor Rye, democrat, was re-elected by a plurality of 28,-941 and the plurality of Kenneth D. McKellar, democratic candidate for senator, was 25,554.

# Lloyd George to **Become Premier**

THE ASQUITH CABINET HAS BEEN OVERTHROWN

# 12 SPEECHES IN HOUSE SUSPENSE IN ENGLAND

Bonar Low Declined to Undertake th Conferred With Party Leaders.

London, Dec. 6, 11 p. m. → David The Republican Congressional cam-Lloyd George has overthrown the Asquith cabinet and will become prime minister himself. The new govern-ment will be coalition, like the old one, but probably without the same meas-ure of harmonious support which at-tended the formation of the first coalition government, because its birth ha created additional factional difference

Day of Suspense. This result has emerged from another day of active and hurried party conferences and a day of intense suspense and interest through the country. There was a prospect this afternoon that the personal offices of the king might solve the situation and many thought that the Asquith regime

might be continued. The king called the party leaders to Buckingham Pal-ace and conferred with them for more than an hour. Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George of the liberals, Mr. Bon-ar Law and Mr. Balfour of the union-ists and Mr. Henderson of the laborates. ists and Mr. Henderson of the labor party, were with the sovereign. It is many years since a British ruler as-sembled the representatives of the different factions face to face when they had shown themselves unable to settle their differences. But no such serious crisis has arisen before to require such action by the king.

Statesmen Depart Separately. Whatever passed in council is held cret, but the inference that the king tried to arrange a conciliation pears most natural. The five st The five states en departed separately, four in their otor cars and the workingmen's okesman afoot.

Afterwards the king gave an au-lience to Mr. Bonar Law, who declined to undertake the formation w ministry and then to Mr. Lloye Beorge, who accepted the responsibil as every one anticipated he would the opportunity came to him. Government Will Be Coalition.

The official announcement tonight that Mr. David Lloyd George had undertaken the task, with the co-opera-tion of Mr. Bonar Law, was a notifica-tion that the new government would

Any party government would ists nor the liberals have a majority in the hot e of commons; either one must attach the Irish Nationalists or the laborites to itself to command a majority. The nationalists have refused to participate in the government until home rule becomes established. The laborites are sworn enemies to Mr. Lloyd George because they resent have put their personal above the national interests at times during the war.

#### NATIONAL COUNCIL OF DEFENSE IN SESSION

President Wilson Discussed Objects and Work With Its Members.

members of the new National Council were ad-in large today, President Wilson declared the of certain council represented the first practical measure, of the activities of certain independent dealers, not heretofore in the business, who are reported to have contracted with the chief coal companies for virtually their entire unsold should be able to unite the forces of should be able to unite the forces of the country for the victories of peace as well as those of war. The president discussed the objects and work of the council informally with the members. The meeting of the council with its civilian advisory commission, marked the inauguration of the thrd great element of the natonal defense programme worked out by congress. AINST MINORITY

B. & M. STOCKHOLDERS
ed to Attack Validity of Short Tarm Notes ard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad; Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of

party went to the White House at the president's invitation. Another session MRS. FRED L. SMALL Whose Husband is Charged With Her

Ossipee, N. H., Dec. 6.—Twenty witnesses were examined today by the grand jury investigating the death of Mrs. Frederick L. Small, whose husband is held in the county jail charged with her murder. Mrs. Small's body was found on Sept. 29 in the ashes of her home on the shore of Lake Ossipee. Although the body was almost completely charred, an examination disclosed a bullet in the skull and evidences that a cord had been bound disclosed a builet in the skull and evidences that a cord had been bound tightly about the neck.

The prosecuting officers charge that Small killed his wife in order to obtain life insurance and that he endeavored to conceal the crime by setting fire to the house. The building was burned some hours after Small had left for Boston and he was in that city the following day when he was

city the following day when he was ontified of the fire and the discovery of his wife's body. He denies knowlof his wife's body. He denies knowledge of her death.

The witnesses before the grand jury today were questioned by Attorney General James P. Tuttle, who is in charge of the prosecution. Many of them were residents of the village, men and women who had known Small and his wife during the three years that the Smalls had lived in the

rears that the Smalls had lived in the Movements of Steamships. Genoa, Nov. 25.—Arrived, steamer Duca Degli Abruzzi. New York. Bordeaux, Dec. 6.—Arrived, steamer a Touraine, New York

# **Condensed Telegrams**

Chihuahua City is being policed by

An attempt was made to rob the ansion of Vincent Astor at Rhine-Thieves robbed the Park Bank & Frust Co., at Memphis, and escaped

The Lemasters National Bank, o emasters, near Chambersburg,

The Department of Commerce ports the exports of cotton for week ended Dec, 2 at 196,501 bales.

The Republican Congressional camcording to its final statement. Arthur McDaniel, prosecutor of Bu-hanan county, Missouri, was acquit-

ted of the murder of his wife. Right Rev. Mgr. Wm. T. Russell, of he Archdiocese of Baltimore, was appointed Bishop of Charleston.

The Chicago Bridge & Iron Works Co. of Greenevine, ra., announce increase of 10 per cent in wages.

Gold coin to the amount of \$7,800, 00 was received at the Assay Office to the credit of J. P. Morgan & Co. Ernest Gray, of New York, was shot

ntering the hallway of his home The operating revenues of 138 rail-roads for the month of October were \$263,420,946 and expenses \$163,179,714.

Baon Lucas of Trudwell, a member of the British Air Corps, was killed during a flight over the German lines. The price of milk in Chattanooga, Tenn., dropped from 7 to 5 cents a pint as a result of an organized boycott by

Pope Benedict appointed the Rev. James Coyle, member of the bishop's ouncil of Fall River, Mass., as do

William H. Horton, of Middletown, N. Y., was killed when his automo-bile skidded and threw him against a

Representative Bacharach, of Nev Jersey, introduced a resolution in the House for the coinage of a two-andone-half-cent piece.

Thomas Campbell, Republican, wa elected Governor of Arizona at the recent election by a plurality of 32 votes over Governor Hunt. Permission to open a branch office in Paris was granted to the Guaranty

Trust Co. of New York by the State Banking Department. Mrs. Rose Virginia Marshall charg-ed with having kept her stepdaughter Grace locked in a room for 11 years,

was acquitted at Easton, Mr. About 160 riveters working on the battleship New Mexico, under con-struction in the Brooklyn Navy Yard

went on strike for higher wages. By the will of Harry Vancortlandt \$20 000 is left to Rowland W. Earl who was employed as his chauffeur.

Harold Ward, a private of the 17th United States Infantry, stationed at Columbus, N. M., was found dead in his tent with a bullet wound in his

Senator Shafroth, of Colorado, introduced a resolution for a constitutional amendment to abolish the electoral college and make the presidential term

Patrick O'Brien, a steward on the United States naval auxiliary ship Arethusa, was stabbed to death on board that vessel by Andrew Williams, one of the crew.

New York on the Norwegian-Ameri-Arthur P. Daggett, who was arrested in connection with the theft of jewels valued at \$65,000, belonging to

a charge of grand larceny. The United States has decided adneutral conference for the considera of measures to protect neutral

Mrs. E. H. Harriman, was indicted on

rights. In order to obtain better food sup plies King George has signed an order in council empowering the board of agriculture to take over unoccupied or ccupied land for the purpose of culti-

The captain and crew of the Nor-weigan back Sara, which foundered in a storm in the Atlantic November 28, were brought into New Orleans the British steamer Rathlinhead.

Charles W. Bartlett, 71, for many years one of the leading lawyers of Boston, and an unsuccessful candidate for governor on the Democratic ticket n 1905, died at his home in Newton

The Pittsburgh Steel Company, with plants at Monessen and Glassport, and the Pittsburgh Steel Products Com-pany, a subsidiary concern, today an-nounced an incerase of 10 per cent increase in wages. Seven thousand The State Barbers Commission filed

ine State Barbers Commission filed its annual report yesterday, showing a balance of \$623.67. The receipts for the year were \$4,791.81. The principal item of expense was for the salary and expenses of Chairman Crotty of Rock-ville—\$1,560.26. OREGON WOMAN DEFEATS HUSBAND AT THE POLLS She is Elected Mayor of City of Uma

tilla-Women Win Every Office. Umatilla. Ore., Dec. 6.—Mrs. E. E. Starcher is mayor of Umatilla today, having defeated her husband in the election yesterday. Women also were elected to all other offices in the municipal government, including four seats in the council, recorder and

# WAX IDENTIFIED BY EIGHT PERSONS

The United States torpedo boat de-troyer Allen was launched at Bath, As "Oliver Osborne" Who Deceived a Score of Young Women in New York City

## PLAYED DUAL ROLE OF HERO AND VILLAIN

Many of the Young Women Who Identified Wax Wished Him Good Luck, Instead of Upbraiding Flim-"James W. Osborne" Was Only One of Many Names Used by Wax During His Escapades - Charges of Perjury and Extortion Against Rae Tanzer and Several of Fler Witnesses in the Breach of Promise Case Will be Reopened and the Cases Rushed to Trial.

New York, Dec. 5 .- Positive identi- women he had courted. Instead of cation of Charles H. Wax as "Oliver condemning him, they wished him good before," elusive swain of a score of luck. young woman in this city, was made The persons who today by eight persons. He has yet, however, to face Miss Rae Tanzer, the factory worker whose \$259,000 preach of promise against James W. Osborne, mistaken for Wax either with borne, a prominent attorney whom she tingly or unwittingly by Miss Tanzer, according to the prosecution, and Mrs according to the prosecution, and Mrs. accused of courting her as "Oliver," led to a succession of legal proceedings led to a succession of legal proceedings Osborne. They were corroborated by and revelation of a long chapter of Edwin Willcox, Mr. Osborne's assistsentimental adventures in which "Olly-er" played the dual role of hero and villain. Wax has admitted it was he Kitchen, manager of the Plainfield ho who made love to Miss Tanzer.

Will Not Invite Miss Tanzer to Call. The federal authorities who brought Wax here from Chicago probably will not invite Miss Tanzer to call upon him. They maintain that James W. Osborne already has been vindicated said to have been made by Wax today, Assistant United States District Attorney Roger B. Wood announced, the charges of perjury and extortion against Miss Tanzer and several of her witnesses in the breach of promise rushed to trial.

After Miss Tanzer's breach of prom-

ise suit was filed she was arrested on a charge of misuse of the United States mails in writing letters to Mr. Oswitness, who identified James W. Osborne as the man who accompanied her to a hotel in Plainfield, N. J., was arrested as a perjurer. He was subequently tried and convicted, but the conviction was set aside by a higher court. Charges of perjury also were made against Miss Tanzer and soon afterward she recanted her testimony, saying she had deceived her lawyers. tures.
When the charges were preferred against her attorneys, Miss Tanzer asserted her recantation had been false. The case finally was made a subject of inquiry by the congressional committee appointed to investigate the impeachment charges against United States District Attorney H. Snowden

government officers proceeding but developed into a reception. He was greeted with all the warmth of a returned prodigal. Aomng the visitors were some of the volume

CLIENT COLLAPSED AS HER COUNSEL SUMMED UP

Mrs. Margaret Beutinger's Second Trial for Murder of Her Husband.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 5.—The hysteria and collapse of Mrs. Marsaret Beu-tinger, undergoing her second trial here on the charge of murdering her husband in their home at Caldwell, Count Eli Tolstoy, second son of the late Count Leo Tolstoy, the Russian philosopher and novelist, arrived at in the midst of the summing up by her counsel, Robert H. Carter. He was describing graphically the brutality, as brought out in testimony, of the woman's husband toward her, which she said led her to shoot him in self-defense.

"December has been a fateful month for this little woman," he said. "Ten years ago this month she married Crystof Beutinger. One year this month she re-married him and here is versely on a "feeler" sent to neutral month she re-married him and here governments by Sweden, proposing a December again with the holly groen and the kiddles calling for her. Send her home to them." At this point the defendant's orie interrupted him. It was necessar; for court attendants to support he as she left the room. The court an nounced that the trial would contin-tomorrow moraling. The avidence the day had related chiefly to also of Mrs. Beutinger by her husband

#### OPENING OF TESTIMONY IN DYNAMITING CONSPIRACIES Cases Against German Consulate Officers in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Dec. 6 .- Opening acual testimony in its effort to prove lynamiting conspiracies against Tranz Bopp, German consul-general, and other consulate officers, the government today placed on the witness stand A. J. Willson, chief clerk of a California plant of the Hercules Pow-der company. His testimony paved the way for the government's chief witness, Louis J. Smith.

#### AERONAUTIC COMMITTEE ASKS FOR \$107,000 For Its Work Next Year-Praises Field Laboratory Site.

Washington, Dev. 6.—The national advisory committee for aeronautics in its second annual report to congress today asked for \$107,000 for its work ext year and praised the location of field laboratory site in the vicinity of Chesapeake Bay.
It recommended that congress authe recommended that congress authorize the postoffice department to establish one or more experimental aerial postal service routes to determine the desirability of extending

D. G. Metaxas, who was appointed Greek Minister to the United States, was landed at Alexandria . Egypt,

such service.

identity of Wax as the elusive "Oliver" to the satisfaction of the federal authorities, however, were James W. Osborne, mistaken for Wax either witant; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Denham, at whose home Wax roomed; and W. S. tel where Miss Tanzer alleged she spent an afetrnoon with "Oliver." Wax had admitted his identity to the Osbornes many months ago and then dis appeared.

Almost Instantly Recognized. In every instance Wax was almost inof the charge of having wooed and stantly recognized although he stood in won Miss Tanzer under the alias of line with newspaper reporters, pho-"Oliver." As a result of a confession tographers and federal officers. In-

variably Wax smiled when greeted and shook hands warmly. Wax did not recognize Kitchen un til the latter recounted a conversation they had before Wax engaged a room. Then Wax related in detail dircumstances of his visit to the hostelry and lescribed to the minutest detail the hotel's interior. He also identified his signature on the register and wrote duplicates of the signature for purposes of comparison. The sign ture was one of the chief points in many actions that have grown out of

the case.
After the federal officer in charge Wax's only comment was that he was "very hungry." On being assured that dinner would be ordered forthwith he to "a reporters something of his adven-

Wax told in detail of his military reter to Major General Leonard Wood during the Mindano campaign. He re-ceived a jagged "bolo" wound on the left forearm and proudly showed the Mashall, who conducted the case against Miss Tanzer and who is a warm personal friend of James W. left forearm and proudly showed the case against Miss Tanzer and who is a with the rank of sergeant, he said, and this statement was borne out by and this statement was borne ou

#### FRENCH GUNBOAT SURPRISE SUNK BY A SUBMARINE At Funchal, Madeira-Thirty-Four of

the Crew Perished. London, Dec. 6, 9.05 p. m. — The French gunboat Surprise has been sunk by German submarines at Funchal, Madeira, according to an announcement by the Portuguese minis-ter of marine in a wireless despatch received here from Lisbon. Thirtyour of the crew of the gunboat pershed.

A few Podtuguese were also killed aboard the steamers Kangaroo and Dacia, which were topedoed, according to the despatch.

A despatch to the Exchange Telesraph Company from Lisbon says:

"News received from Madeira says that thirty-four persons were killed in the bombardment of Funchal. The submarine shelled the sacre for two hours, especially the English cable station and other public buildings, but only small damage was done. The steamers Kangaroo and Dacia were

TWO BARGES ADRIFT

IN LONG ISLAND SOUND roke Away from Fug Cora D. Staples Ten Miles Oli New London

New London onn., Dec. 6. - The tug Cora D. Staples, bound from South Amboy, N. J., to Providence South Amboy, N. J., to Providence with five barges, heavily laden with coal, struck a very high wind on Long Island sound about ten miles from this port today. Two barges, the Frank B., with 625 tons of coal, and White Eand, with 550 tons, broke loose but Captain Brennan of the Staples succeeded in anchoring the latter barge while the Frank B. got away. Both barge captain ewere rescued and Both barge captain ewere rescued t the towboat with the rest of the tow reached this port six hours after the accident. Captain Brennan expects to leave port tomorrow morning to hunt for the missing barges. The tug and barges are owned by the Scully line.

CHANGE IN STATE FISH AND GAME COMMISSION

Admiral C. F. Goodrich Retires-Succeeded by John W. Atwood of Wau-

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 6.—Rear Admiral Caspar F. Goodrich of Pomfret today sent in his resignation to Governor Holcomb as a member of the state fish and game commis resignation was accepted and the ernor appointed John W. Atwoo Wauregan, a prominent manufacturer to fill the vacancy. His term will ex-pire July 1, 1919. Admiral Goodrich intends to move from this state to California wit few weeks, which was the reaso